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SUMMARY: WE HAVE BEEN INFORMED OF RECENT CHANGES AND ADDITIONS IN THE COMPOSITION, SCHEDULE, AND INTERESTS OF THE THAI DELEGATION TO THE CONFERENCE OF THE INTER-PARLIAMENTARY UNION (IPU) WHICH WILL BE HELD IN GENEVA OCTOBER 22-26. THE DELEGATION'S SCHEDULE IN THE STATES HAS BEEN CHANGING BECAUSE EACH MEMBER IS USING THIS OPPORTUNITY TO PURSUE HIS PERSONAL INTERESTS. THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION IS BASED ON A SEPTEMBER 25 DISCUSSION WITH PARADA BURANASIRI, SECRETARY TO THE DELEGATION. END SUMMARY.

1. THE DELEGATION, WHICH WILL TRAVEL IN THE UNITED STATES FROM OCTOBER 7 TO 18, IS COMPOSED OF THOSE INDIVIDUALS LISTED IN PARA 2 REF C WITH THE ADDITION OF

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VIDUALS LISTED IN PARA 2 REF C WITH THE ADDITION OF

DR. SNOH'S WIFE, NONGNUT; AND ASWIN SNIDVONG NA AYUDHAYA, WHO WORKS FOR TRANS WORLD AIRLINES (TWA) AND IS ACCOMPANYING THE DELEGATION AS A SORT OF LOGISTICS ESCORT.

2. SIRI, CHOTE AND MADAME, DHEP AND MADAME, PRAYUDH, SNOH AND MADAME, CHOOP, PARADA AND ASWIN WILL VISIT THE REPUBLIC OF CHINA FROM OCTOBER 2 TO 7, AND THEN PROCEED TO THE UNITED STATES VIA TW 742 DEPARTING TAIPEI 1655 OCTOBER 7. CHOTE AND MADAME, DHEP AND MADAME, AND PRAYUDH WILL DEPLANE IN HONOLULU 1155 OCTOBER 7. SIRI, PARADA, ASWIN AND CHOOP WILL DEPLANE IN LOS ANGELES 2145 OCTOBER 7. SNOH AND MADAME WILL DEPLANE IN SAN FRANCISCO AT 2355.

3. SIRI, CHOTE AND MADAME, PRAYUDH, CHAN, SNOH AND MADAME, NIKOM AND MADAME, PARADA, SUPASIT, AND ASWIN ARE EXPECTED TO BE IN WASHINGTON, D.C. THEY APPRECIATE AND ACCEPT THE INVITATION FOR THE TOUR OF THE LIBRARY OF CONGRESS AND THE CAPITOL. IN ADDITION, WE UNDERSTAND THAT PRADISTH CHEOSAKUL, SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE NATIONAL RESOURCES COUNCIL, HAS WRITTEN A LETTER DATED SEPTEMBER 25 TO JAMES MORRISON, DEPUTY DIRECTOR, OFFICE OF INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS, NASA, REQUESTING A VISIT TO THE GODDARD SPACE FLIGHT CENTER, GREENBELT, MARYLAND, FOR SIRI AND THOSE WHO WILL BE IN WASHINGTON. THE LETTER REQUESTED AN INSPECTION TOUR OF THE RECEIVING AND PROCESSING EQUIPMENT FOR THE EARTH RESOURCES TECHNOLOGICAL SATELLITE (ERTS) PROGRAM.

4. SIRI AND PARADA ARE ON THE FOLLOWING ITINERARY.

OCTOBER 7 DEP TAIPEI 1655 TW 742
ARR LOS ANGELES 2145
OCTOBER 9 DEP LOS ANGELES 1800 WA 234
ARR LAS VEGAS 1848
OCTOBER 11 DEP LAS VEGAS 1105 TW 198/438
ARR WASHINGTON, D.C. 2012
OPEN
OCTOBER 18 DEP NEW YORK 2115 TW 904
OCTOBER 19 ARR MADRID 0700
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5. CHOTE AND MADAME ARE ON THE FOLLOWING SCHEDULE.

OCTOBER 7 DEP TAIPEI 1655 TW 742
ARR HONOLULU 1155
OCTOBER 8 DEP HONOLULU 0815 TW 744
ARR LOS ANGELES 1620
OCTOBER 10 DEP LOS ANGELES 0740 TW 298

ARR LAS VEGAS 0840
OCTOBER 12 DEP LAS VEGAS 0750 TW 700
ARR KANSAS CITY 1216
OCTOBER 15 DEP KANSAS CITY 1045 TW 428
ARR WASHINGTON 1459
OPEN DEP WASHINGTON
ARR NEW YORK
OCTOBER 18 DEP NEW YORK 2115 TW 904

6. DR. SNOH AND MADAME WILL REMAIN WITH FLIGHT TW 742
AND DEPLANE IN SAN FRANCISCO 0940 ON OCTOBER 7 (REF E). THEY
WILL DEPART SAN FRANCISCO 0940 ON OCTOBER 10, FLIGHT TW 024
FOR CHICAGO. THEY WILL DEPART CHICAGO OCTOBER 11 1720 VIA TW 438
AND JOIN THE REST OF THE DELEGATION IN WASHINGTON D.C.
ARRIVING 2000.

7. DHEP AND MADAME WILL ACCOMPANY CHOTE AND MADAME WHEN
THEY ARRIVE IN HONOLULU (OCTOBER 7) AND LOS ANGELES
(OCTOBER 8). DHEP INTENDS TO DEPART LOS ANGELES OCTOBER
11 AT 0930 VIA TW 024 FOR CHICAGO, ARRIVING 1503. ON
OCTOBER 16 THEY DEPART CHICAGO AT 1245 ON TW 330 FOR NEW
YORK, ARRIVING 1534. THEY WILL DEPART NEW YORK WITH THE
BULK OF THE DELEGATION AT 2115 OCTOBER 18 VIA TW 904
BOUND FOR MADRID.

8. CHOOP WILL FLY DIRECTLY FROM TAIPEI TO LOS ANGELES
ARRIVING 2145 OCTOBER 7 VIA TW 742. HE HAS THE FOLLOWING
ITINERARY.

OCTOBER 9 DEP LOS ANGELES 1720 TW 290
ARR WICHITA 2152
OCTOBER 12 DEP WICHITA 1430 (FLIGHT UNKNOWN)
ARR CHICAGO 1640
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OPEN DEP CHICAGO
ARR INDIANAPOLIS
OCTOBER 18 DEP INDIANAPOLIS 1450 TW 174
ARR NEW YORK 1740
DEP NEW YORK 2115 TW 904

9. BOONCHU IS PRESENTLY IN EUROPE AND WILL TRAVEL IN THE
UNITED STATES ON HIS WAY BACK FROM THE CONFERENCE. HIS
SCHEDULE IS UNKNOWN. SUPASIT IS PRESENTLY IN THE UNITED
STATES AND IS EXPECTED TO JOIN THE DELEGATION IN WASHING-
TON.

10. NIKOM AND MADAME WILL LEAVE BANGKOK ON OCTOBER 8 AND
SPEND TWO NIGHTS IN HONOLULU. THEY INTEND TO FLY DIRECTLY
FROM HONOLULU TO CHICAGO WHERE THEY WILL STAY TWO NIGHTS.

THEY THEN INTEND TO JOIN THE REST OF THE DELEGATION IN WASHINGTON AROUND OCTOBER 11/12.

11. PRAYUDH, WHO WILL DEPLANE FROM TA 742 IN HONOLULU, WILL JOIN UP WITH KIKOM AND ALSO FLY DIRECTLY FROM HONOLULU TO CHICAGO AND ON TO WASHINGTON.

12. CHAN INTENDS TO FLY DIRECTLY TO WASHINGTON FROM BANGKOK ARRIVING ON OCTOBER 10.

13. MEMBERS OF THE DELEGATION ARE BOOKED INTO THE FOLLOWING HOTELS: HONLULU, ALA MOANA; LOS ANGELES, MAYFLOWER; SAN FRANCISCO, BEVERLY PLAZA; LAS VEGAS, CIRCUS CIRCUS; WASHINGTON, WINDSOR PARK.

14. ACTION REQUESTED: REQUEST DEPARTMENT CONTACT NASA AND ARRANGE A TOUR OF THE GODDARD SPACE FLIGHT CENTER, GREENBELT, MARYLAND. REQUEST THAT RECEPTION CENTERS BE INFORMED OF THE REVISED SCHEDULE.
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